[illegible] and Lorna Howen, now residents of Sioux Falls, South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, Connie Kay Smith was born in Applegate Township, Lyman County, South Dakota, the daughter of Wilbur and Betty Smith; and,

WHEREAS, Dick is a graduate of Augustana College and received both his M. A. and Ph. D. from Harvard University, and Connie graduated from Yankton College and received an M. A. in Mass Communication from the University of South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, Dick is currently serving as Commissioner of Higher Education for the State of South Dakota, having previously been President of the University of South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, Connie is Director of Administration for the South Dakota Public Television Network in Vermillion; and,

WHEREAS, Saturday, October 16, 1976, marks the entry into the state of marital bliss of Dick and Connie; and,

WHEREAS, This marriage will take place at the Congregational United Church of Christ, Pierre, South Dakota, at Eight O'Clock in the evening; and,

WHEREAS, We in South Dakota are proud to have among us such a fine couple as Dick and Connie and we want to wish them the best of everything as they begin their life together; and,

WHEREAS, The marriage of Dick and Connie is worthy of public recognition in the State of South Dakota, and it is fitting and proper that the Governor make note of this special occasion:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, October 16, 1976, as

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in South Dakota, and join with their many friends in wishing them an abundance of happiness on this day and in the years ahead.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 12th day of October, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Six.

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:
Jean R. Johnson Assistant Secy of State
LORNA D. KERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE

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